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SUBJECT: SALE OF ITALIAN M-113-A1'S TO THE PHILIPPINES

1. MISSION HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM MOD FOR U.S. PERMISSION
FOR THIRD COUNTRY SALE OF 60 M-113A1 IMPROVED (ITALIAN
VERSION) PERSONNEL CARRIERS AND 60 M-113A1 PERSONNEL CARRIERS
TO THE PHILIPPINES.

- 2. SUCH SALES ARE CLEARLY IMPORTANT TO GOI IN TERMS OF PRESERVING INDIGENOUS ARMS INDUSTRY CAPACITY, IN FORESTALLING NEED TO RELEASE EMPLOYEES DURING RECESSION PERIOD, AND AS EVIDENCE OF BENEFITS ITALY RECEIVES FROM ITS MILITARY-COMMERCIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE UNITED STATES.
- 3. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY REPLY.BEAUDRY

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